

COTTO'S END DRAWING NEAR

**Louis Frankeloso's Slayer in Ab-
ject Terror of His Fate.**

**Prison Guards May Have to Carry
Him to the Death Chair.**

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 24.—Warden Brown has made out invitations to the men selected to witness the execution of Jeremiah Cotto, the Brooklyn murderer, who is under sentence to be put to death by electricity during the week beginning at midnight next Sunday. It is probable that the execution will take place between 10 and 12 o'clock next Monday forenoon.

The crime of which Cotto was convicted was a peculiarly brutal and atrocious one, but the murderer is one of the most cowardly men ever sentenced to death, and the indications are that he will have to be dragged or carried to the electric chair. If he doesn't make a scene, the leopards say, they shall be greatly disappointed. It is the opinion of the men who have had Cotto under their observation that he will collapse at the moment when he is summoned to go to his death.

Cotto was half dead with fright when he was taken to the prison. His knees knocked together and he murmured, "Poor Jerry go dead! Poor Jerry go dead!" He recovered somewhat when he learned that he was not to be put to death immediately, but he has been in a very nervous state ever since, and when Charles McElvaine was led out to execution last month Cotto's terror was dreadful.

The murder for which Cotto is to die was committed last July in the outskirts of Brooklyn. Cotto and his victim, Louis Frankeloso, were ragpickers. Cotto had been a lover of Mrs. Frankeloso in Naples, Italy, and after she and her husband emigrated to this country she sent Cotto money to follow her.

He deserted a wife and family to join his paramour here. He lived with the Frankelosos in a tumble-down tenement in Brooklyn, and he and Mrs. Frankeloso discussed the question of putting Frankeloso out of the way so that they might maintain their relations without the husband's interference.

One Friday night Frankeloso started out to steal vegetables from the neighboring farms, and was followed by Cotto. Upon a lonely roadside Cotto came upon his victim, and with savage fury stabbed him no less than fourteen times. Frankeloso was left lying dead in the road.

Cotto returned to the Frankeloso home, and standing before the woman he had widowed, he bled the blood from the knife with which he had committed the deed.

After he was convicted of the murder all his bravado deserted him, and he became the cowering wretch whose fear of death is in such strong contrast with the calmness of other men who have occupied condemned cells in Sing Sing.

His sleep is disturbed by frightful dreams, and he cries out in the night that they are going to kill him. The brutal butchery of Frankeloso recurs as a vision, and he frequently awakes screaming with terror. He rises in the morning worn out by the mental torture of the night, and sits all day smoking his pipe and reading the Italian prayer-book which has been supplied him.

The fear of death has made him very de-
vout. He eagerly welcomes Father Mito, the Italian assistant of Father Creedon, who is preparing him for the end, but it is as much as the good priest can do to prevent his complete breakdown now.

He did give way for a time yesterday when Father Creedon entered the cell after Father Mito had been with him for a half hour talking to him in his mother-tongue.

With the exception of these two priests Cotto has not seen a person not connected with the prison since he arrived here. He is

absolutely friendless, and will be burned in quicklime on the bluff overlooking the prison. He has asked that Father De Sanctis, a Brooklyn priest whom he had known in Naples, be invited to attend him at the last moment, and an effort is being made to find Father De Sanctis, whose address is not known at the prison.

Despite his terror Cotto eats quite heartily, his breakfast this morning consisting of boiled sausages, poached eggs, fried potatoes and tea. He is the only occupant of the condemned-cell building, and for the first time since it was built it will probably empty for a few days after Cotto is shrouded to death.

LAILAW AFTER SAGE.
**He Recovers Sufficiently to Sue the
Millionaire for Damages.**

EX-JUDGE Noah Davis, counsel for William R. Laidlaw, has sent a letter asking Russell Sage to make a settlement with his client for the damages sustained by Laidlaw when in Mr. Sage's office at the time of the notorious bomb explosion.

The claim rests upon the alleged use of Mr. Laidlaw by Mr. Sage as a shield against the effects of the explosion. The amount claimed by Mr. Laidlaw as damages was not named in the letter of Mr. Davis, but in an interview with an Evening World reporter Mr. Laidlaw mentioned the sum of \$100,000. Mr. Sage refuses to pay Laidlaw anything.

Mr. Sage turned the letter over to his counsel, ex-Judge Dillon. There will probably be a conference between the two judges, but it is unlikely that any compromise can be effected.

Mr. Laidlaw says he is injured for life and is justified in demanding compensation. His leg still has an open wound and his hip troubles him. His friends say he is afflicted with rheumatism and looks ten years older since the bomb explosion.

Begging Missouri Lynchers.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 24.—The latest report from Taney County in that thirteen men have been arrested, charged with being members of the mob which lynched John Bright and murdered Deputy Sheriff Williams. One of the parties who was arrested was found to be severely wounded, supposed to be the shot fired by Williams just before he fell.

Political Potpourri.
South Dakota delegates are secure for Harrison after much wrangling.

At Athens, ex-Senator Lucius says Mr. Cleveland is the only man for whom he has hope to elect. He says, would carry fewer votes than any other Democratic candidate.

Editor of the Winthrop (N. Y.) News says Senator Hill told him that ex-speaker Reed stole his quinine-scented hat from him.

Indiana delegates to Democratic National Convention will probably be for Gray for first choice, with Cleveland second.

Chairman O'Brien, of the Fourteenth District, Indiana's Congressional Committee, says Congressman Holman will be an available man for the Democratic Presidential nomination.

Delegation to the North Dakota Democratic State Convention is equally divided between Cleveland and Harrison.

Ex-Senator Logan, a Republican, hopes Democrats will nominate either Hill or Brien, Indiana, he says, is a wooden man, but he is not a candidate for Congress.

Utah will probably have contesting delegations in both National Conventions.

Ex-City Chamberlain Richard Croker is expected home from a trip to England, Trip and Italy, and he is expected to be a candidate for Congress.

Ex-Senator Thomas J. Egan, of Harlem, is said to be a candidate for Congress.

Street Cleaning Commissioner Brennan isn't looking for a successor, but he is expected to be a candidate for Congress.

Thomas F. Platt is said to have had a hand in the Illinois exposure because neither he nor his friends were recognized by the federal administration in the letting of contracts.

The Republican Club will have its monthly dinner to-night.

West Side Republican Club meeting at the Hotel Endicott to-night.

IS NICOLL TO BE A JUDGE?

**Ambition Said to Be Behind His
General Sessions Bill.**

**Bills and Millholland Prefer Charges
Against Each Other.**

Should District-Attorney Nicoll's bill providing for an additional Judge of the Court of General Sessions become a law—and I think it will," said a Tammany politician this morning. "I will venture the prediction, and back it with a wager, that DeLancey Nicoll will be the candidate of Tammany Hall for the place on the bench thus created."

The program, as I understand it, is to elect Henry D. Purroy in Judge Cowing's place, and District-Attorney Nicoll to the new judgeship.

It will be remembered that the number of judges was increased by one in 1887, and that Mr. Martine stepped from the District-Attorney's office to the bench. Mr. Nicoll, I think, aims to do likewise, and as he cannot have Judge Cowing's place, that being promised to Commissioner Purroy, a new place has to be made.

There is no doubt that there will be plenty of work for five judges when room is made for them to hold court in the new court-street court-house.

THE STREET-CLEANING BILL.
The action of the State Senate in amending the street-cleaning bill by increasing salaries, so that the annual appropriation for that department of the municipal government will necessarily be \$200,000 more than the large sum contemplated, yesterday adversely criticised by members of the Mayor's Advisory Committee who prepared the bill.

First Charles F. Chandler, of Columbia College, was particularly disappointed at the result, and despondently asserted his belief that the action was taken with a view to ultimately kill the measure, which must go back to the Assembly for concurrence in the amendments.

The amendments raise the salary of the Commissioner from \$10,000 to \$15,000; that of the Deputy Commissioner from \$4,000 to \$5,000, and those of drivers and laborers from \$200 to \$250.

Any raise in the salary of the deputy commissioner was the subject of special comment, because it is but recently that the deputy's salary was raised from \$3,000 to \$4,000, and it had been fixed for many years, to \$1,000, the amount which Deputy Commissioner Dalton receives.

THE REISSUE-PLAT FIGHT.
The fight between the Platt men and Col. George Bliss for the control of the Eleventh Assembly District Republican machine waxes interesting.

Col. Bliss has filed charges with the Secretary of the Treasury against Immigration Inspector John E. Millholland, who is directing the Platt forces. These charges are to the effect that Mr. Millholland is using his official position to secure control of the political organization.

A copy of the charges has been received by Inspector Millholland, who sent to the Secretary marked copies of the newspapers containing accounts of the row at the meeting of the organization Tuesday night, in which Col. Bliss seemed to be fairly bested.

Mr. Millholland strikes back at Col. Bliss with a request to the Police Commissioners to investigate the action of the patrolmen who, under the colonel's orders, invaded the meeting-room and took part in the riotous proceedings which characterized it.

A "Great Metropolis" Wedding.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
CHICAGO, March 24.—Hert Tuckerman and Miss Bertie Keller, members of the "Great Metropolis" company were married here on the Academy of Music stage after yesterday's afternoon matinee. The groom is from New York and the bride a Chicago girl.

LOVE LED HER TO THE GRAVE.

**Beautiful Edna Paulding Was
Betrayed and Is Dead.**

**A Young Brooklyn Student Alleged
to Have Caused Her Ruin.**

PEREKILL, N. Y., March 24.—Miss Edna Paulding, who died Tuesday in a house on sixth avenue, New York, was a beautiful Peking girl, who, it is claimed, had been led astray by a young student at the Peking Military Academy named Emil De Riesthal.

Miss Paulding was a very attractive girl of seventeen years, with dark eyes and a handsome figure. Her manners were exceedingly winning.

She was the daughter of John Paulding, who for several years conducted a restaurant on Main street. He has always been a politician of some prominence, and is one of Gen. Hosted's right-hand men. He recently married a second wife, who came from Boston, and with her came her pretty daughter to live at Peking.

Edna developed great fondness for her stepfather, and they were often seen on the streets together.

When Mrs. Paulding and her stepdaughter left town, considerable comment was heard. It soon became known, however, that Miss Edna was in trouble.

The matter culminated in the arrest, on the charge of betrayal and promise of marriage, of Emil De Riesthal, son of Papal Count Alphonse De Riesthal, of 200 Hoves street, Brooklyn.

Count De Riesthal is a wealthy glass importer at 55 Murray street, New York, and stands high socially in Brooklyn. Several months ago he lost a favorite son, who was a lieutenant in the Fourteenth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y.

Emile is about twenty years old. For three years he was a student at the Peking Military Academy. While here he was frequently seen in the company of Miss Paulding, often accompanied by another girl named Morden. Strong mutual attraction was manifest between the two.

After this intimacy had gone on for some time, Miss Paulding discovered that she was in trouble, and she confessed all to her father. He, after hearing of her situation, sought an interview with Count De Riesthal, informing him that young De Riesthal had wronged his daughter, and demanded that he save the girl's honor by marrying her.

Count De Riesthal then called on his son, who declared in the most positive terms that the charges were without foundation.

The chief De Riesthal then accused Paulding of being a blackmailer, and refused to have anything further to do with him.

Mr. Paulding then called on Justice William M. Barton, of Peking, who issued a warrant for young De Riesthal's arrest.

Chief of Police Henschel went to Brooklyn with the court papers, which were indicated by Justice Walsch of that city.

Henschel was arrested and taken to the Leo Avenue court, where Justice Walsch held the bail for his appearance in Peking at \$1,500. His father furnished the bonds. As young De Riesthal was leaving the court room a deputy sheriff served papers upon him in Peking for the loss of his daughter's services.

He was again freed, on bail being furnished by his father.

Meanwhile Miss Paulding was in a serious condition. She brooded over wrong doings and at times went out of her head.

About four weeks ago a child was born to her, but it shortly died. Miss Paulding rallied, but soon relapsed, and it was feared that brain fever had set in. Her condition gradually grew worse and she died last evening, as stated.

CLERK COSTIGAN'S MISHAP.

**Laid Up with Broken Ribs, but in
Good Spirits.**

Tom Costigan, one of the very few County Democrats now in official life, is laid up at his home, 411 West Twenty-seventh street, and his broad, round shadow has not been cast upon the floor of the chief clerk's office in Justice John Jaroleman's Eighth District Civil Court since a week ago today.

That was last Saturday day, and in the evening "char Rogers" banqueted at John J. Rogers' restaurant. Mr. Costigan and his son, Gregory Costigan, Justice Jaroleman, Assistant Corporation Counsel John Deane and Court Officer John Turner were among the banquetees.

It had been snowing for five hours when the party started for home, and at Sixth avenue and Thirty-third street Mr. Costigan slipped and fell. He was carried home, where it was found that two of his ribs had been broken.

Mr. Costigan had not lost his good spirits, and as he is not dangerously hurt and jokes about it himself, nobody else treats his mis-hap seriously. He hopes that he will be able to resume his work as clerk of the Eighth district court in a few days, and so do his many friends.

EDWARD DE LIMA FOUND.
**Not a Suicide, but Alive and Well in
Paris.**

Young Edward de Lima, who disappeared mysteriously eleven weeks ago, has been heard from. His brother-in-law, Charles de Lima, has received a cablegram from a friend in Paris, saying: "Edward is safe. Will write."

Edward de Lima lived at the Langham Hotel, Forty-second street and Fifth avenue, on the morning of Jan. 4 he left the hotel, and was not seen since.

Charles de Lima heard that some of his friends had seen him in the city of Paris, on Jan. 5, and supposed that Edward was carried away while hiding from creditors. Mr. de Lima clung to this theory until the cable reached him from Paris.

The city was scoured from one end to the other, but without result, and finally the family came to the conclusion that Edward's mind had become unbalanced. There are rumors, however, that he ran away because of an attachment with a woman.

FOUR RUNAWAY BOYS.
**One Was Armed with a Revolver
and All Were Hungry.**

Early this morning Policeman Quinn, while patrolling his beat on Grand street, Hoboken, saw four boys trying the door of Assemblyman Taber's saloon at Grand and Fifth streets, and placed them under arrest.

At the station-house the prisoners described themselves as William Phillips, aged fourteen, son of Police Sergeant Phillips, of 140 West 10th street, Buffalo; William Flynn, aged fourteen, and Peter Healey, aged thirteen, all of Front street, Buffalo.

The boys hadn't a cent of money, but young Healey was armed with a English bull-dog revolver. They had run away from home. All four were hungry, and had tried to enter the saloon with the expectation of filling up at the lunch-counter.



Mr. Charles N. Hauer
Of Frederick, Md.

Impure Blood

From the above picture of Health one would hardly believe the original had ever known a day's sickness, and yet Mr. Hauer was for years a terrible sufferer from

causing a necrosis sore on his leg. His voluntary statement is as follows:

"Gentlemen: I have been reading the testimony of John L. McMurtry, of Haverwood, W. Va., telling of a cure similar to my case. In 1870 I was taken to my bed with inflammatory rheumatism in my left leg, above the knee. I suffered terribly the whole fall and winter, and my physician did everything he could, but without success. As a result of poisoning, a sore formed, opened and began running, and I was

In a Terrible Condition
And not only that, but in 6 months my physician was compelled to remove a piece of decayed bone, and I all the time suffering immense pain. I could not stand upon my leg and I had to go to a cane and crutch. The last thing my doctor ordered was 16 grains sulphate of calcium pills. When I had taken about 1,000 of them I noticed my leg a little stronger, but the discharge would not stop.

How Do You Think I Felt
I could not go into company. I could not visit anywhere. I purchased half a dozen bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and commenced taking it regularly. I used nine bottles. My leg stopped discharging, healed up, and now I can stand all day upon it. I walk 5 to 7 miles for exercise, and it does not affect me the least bit. Now it has been a little over two years since I commenced taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla
and you can see what it has done for me. I am 50 years of age, and everybody in my little town knows me and how I used to suffer with my leg, but thank God for directing my steps when I purchased Hood's Sarsaparilla." CHAS. N. HAUER, 33 West Patrick street, Frederick, Md.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal.

AMONG THE WHEELMEN.
Among the men who will race under the Riverside colors this season are George C. Smith, Stiller, George Ranker, William Sampson, Judge, Haggerty, Thompson, Bessert, Christensen, Weber and Corbett.

The Madison Wheelmen are preparing for a very interesting race in the near future, in which they attempt to eclipse all their previous efforts in that line.

The Bedford Wheelmen will be represented this season by a promising road team. The Madison Wheelmen have an opportunity to contest in a two-mile safety race at the coming games of the Twenty-second Regiment.

The South Brooklyn Wheelmen have prepared a schedule of club runs for the coming season. The first club run of the Bedford Cycling Club will be to Yonkers on April 24.

The New York State L. A. W. meet will be held this year at Buffalo.

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A Mean Husband.
[From Harper's Bazar.]
"I saw Mrs. Bunkerton to-day," said Hicks. "She looked mighty handsome, too."

"She's an odious woman," returned Mrs. Hicks. "You never did admire any of my old girls," said Hicks. "That is, only one, and I think you thought her perfect."

"Which one was that?" queried Mrs. Hicks. "Yourself," retorted Hicks.

Census Taking on Fifth Avenue.
[From Times 8/11/91.]
"May I have the honor of requesting your name?"

"In what year were you so considerate as to be born?"

"What place has the honor of being your birthplace?"

"If you are kind enough to be engaged in any occupation will you kindly mention what it is?"

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